March 31, 2000

Re: 00-0116

Darrell Townsley TS Communication Inc. d/b/a Telecom*USA Long Distance Company of Illinois 205 N. Michigan Ave., Ste. 3700 Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is a copy of the Memorandum from the Hearing Examiner to the Commission regarding recommended action at the Bench Session on March 29, 2000. The Order presented to the Commission was entered with no changes and therefore, is not enclosed.

Sincerely,

Donna M. Caton Chief Clerk

DMC:jbm Enclosure

Docket No: 00-0116 etc. **Bench Date:** 3/29/00

Deadline: N/A

MEMORANDUM_	

TO: The Commission

FROM: Deborah King, Hearing Examiner

DATE: March 22, 2000

SUBJECT: TS Communications Inc. d/b/a Telecom *USA Long Distance

Company of Illinois, et cetera.

Petitions for Emergency and Expedited Relief to Protect from Disclosure in its Entirely for a Period of not less than

Five Years Petitioners' 1999 Annual Reports.

RECOMMENDATION: Grant Petitions.

Petitioners are telecommunications carriers who are authorized to provide only competitive services. Petitioners' request that the Commission enter Orders allowing the confidential and proprietary treatment of their Annual Reports for the year ending 1999. The attached draft orders grant the petitions and provide proprietary treatment and exemption from public disclosure under Section 7 (g) of the Illinois Freedom of Information Act and Section 5-109 of the Public Utilities Act for a period of five years from the date of this order.

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